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Dear Charles:

In connection with the above-referenced case, I enclose copies of the Examiner Interview Summary Record and Notice Of Allowability. We must pay the issue fee of \$1,130.00 by April 27, 1992 in order to prevent abandonment.

You will recall that in response to the Examiner's requirement for restriction dated June 24, 1991, claims 1-105 were cancelled. These claims had been restricted into five groups -- four groups directed to perforating, laminating or forming apparatus and one group directed to a method of forming a tubular member.

Any divisional application directed to non-elected claims should be filed before the issue fee is paid. The subject matter of the non-elected claims is substantially duplicative of that of the allowed claims. Therefore, I will pay the issue fee without filing any divisional application unless I receive contrary instructions from you.

Very truly yours,

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